

I learn from the Boston Times that Gov. Morill enter upon the duties of his office, as ~~not~~ of that port, on the first day of May next. The Consulship at Rio Janeiro, is said to worth from 7 to 8000 per year.

us from Texas. Gen. Houston has at last declared himself against annexation. We have long expecting this, says the *Maddison* of Wednesday, consequently we are not pointed in the slightest possible degree. We happy in the belief, however, that he does not sufficient influence to thwart this great national measure.

Our readers may expect some startling developments with regard to the British policy and British us, in a short time. We cannot, at present, tell we know about the matter. It is a gloomy consolation to know that we have a President equal to any emergency that may arise.

**MUNICIPAL COURT, BOSTON.** Trial for pretences.—Benj. P. Hilton, minor, of Hall, Me., was tried last week for cheating Jones citizen of Boston, on the 20th of October last, odds to the amount of about \$700, by false dice. J. P. Rodgers made an able defence for Hilton, and the jury returned a verdict, not guilty.

*Father Mathew versus Father Malthus.*—Dunn, the teetotal wife of an itinerant and blind fiddler, was put to bed in Manchester, a time ago, of her twenty-second child!—the midwife handed it to poor Papa, the facetiously exclaimed, "What the pledge! how often must I take it?"

#### RAILROAD MEETING.

Farmington, April 1, 1845. Pursuant to the citizens of Franklin met at the Farm-Town-house to see what action might be relative to the St. Lawrence and Atlantic Rd., and organized by choosing Joseph Johnson, Esq., president and J. B. Lowell, Esq., Secy. Col. Marston, Charles Pike, and Wm. Dodge were chosen a committee to arrange us for the afternoon.

Two o'clock the meeting reassembled after dinner, and received the report of the business committee, and listened to remarks of Drs. Pitt, Perkins, and others.

Jeremiah Jr. Josiah Prescott, J. L. Cutler, Morgridge, and B. F. Eastman were chosen corresponding committee to correspond with the St. Railroad company, and to direct the committee to send two or more members of Portland, if necessary.

Genl S. Wood, Joseph Johnson, Hiram S. son, Benj. F. Eastman, Charles Pike, Edger, Daniel Merritt and Cyrus Pierce were a committee to raise funds,

*A Railroad Accident.* Mr Valentine Gay, (as stated on Saturday) of Maine, a man 10 years old, was killed on Friday morning

presented around. He was told it was good. Still it did not appear so to him. At the same moment, he stopped the signer of the note. The cashier said, "Mr. —— I was just doubting your note." "It is good," was the reply, "I gave it to Mr. B. myself;" —and on examination he again declared it to be the note given, and it was accordingly discounted. In a day or two, the cashier wrote the gentleman, saying the appearance of that note troubled him, and he wished he would look into the matter. The merchant replied, the note was as good a one as he ever wrote, but if the Cashier would send it to him, deducting the discount, he would send a check for the amount. This was done, and after recognizing and swearing to the paper three or four times, the gentleman now finds that it was an ingenious forgery. It is well for the best of us not to be too sure. [Boston Bee.]

Citizens of this town, Paris and Oxford, are actively engaged in surveying a route for a railroad track, from this place to Poland Corner.—  
[Norway Advertiser.]

*Appointment.* Rodney Collins, Esq. has been appointed Post Master at Anson, vice A. Moore, Esq. removed.

*The difficulty at Rio.* There is a great excitement at Rio on account of the late difficulty about the prize, or slaver, seized by the United States ships of war. The prize was worth \$100,000, and was fourteen days under the guns of the Raritan. The Brazilian government acted with great determination; and threatened Com. Turner. As soon as they had unmasked their guns, the prize was surrendered and the Minister threatened to demand his passports. It is feared much difficulty may grow out of this unfortunate affair.—  
[Bee.]

*Millerism.* The proceedings of the professors of this belief, have been such, that the officers of Norway and some other towns in the vicinity have felt it their duty to take means to put a stop to them.

Mr George W. Brown, of Orrington, who has been for some weeks in N. and vicinity, was arrested on Tuesday, by the selectmen, examined, and sentenced to the country jail for twenty days.

On Wednesday, one of the leaders, well known as Joe Turner, another named Harmon, with one or two others were arrested at the house of Mr Megquier, in Poland, by the Selectmen of that town, as was reported. [Norway paper.]

*Physic enough.* One hundred and sixty degrees of Doctor of Medicine were conferred upon as many graduates of the Medical University of Pennsylvania, Saturday.

*Prolific.* Mr John Morrison, of Farmington, last year raised six hundred and seventy one beans from a single seed.

If Mr Rowland Hill gives each of her children half-a sovereign, why is he like the rising sun?—Because he "tips the little Hills with gold."

*Masculine and Feminine.* We notice the fol-

only female in the hive, size; the males, and the sting to death all the so allowing no sister near th expelled from the hive is pence of wintering them.

These are some of th which the lecturer amuses audience. Many will since this interesting and instructive from which they have seen improvement.

[We have been obliged our friend's review.]

#### For the " LIQUOR AT

**Gentlemen:**—One of Wednesday's paper, & "furnishing intoxicating ditions," and says that "all of those who are guilty of

Doubtless your correspondents are already "enacted" a law. A statute is now in force, providing that no person shall expose to sell, or furnish the distance of two hundred miles the inhabitants of any town or city, county, town or choice of electors of president, or any officer or less he be a licensed inn keeper, or his ordinary business prosecuting the same, and much as but few towns greater, in this county, I presume clause in the "license law" sufficient to protect the evils complained of by you; addition to this, a law also provides justice of the peace or coroner, knowledge of a violation, etc., to order any constable the election is held, to see for sale, or vessels contain pose of both as the law demands.

I agree with your correspondent in the business of bribing electors especially by holding the lips; but I must add also that there is no town in our state complained of as openly as such a town, no one requiring

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*College Rebellion.* The students of Virginia have, according to the times, been kicking commencing a series of "muc thumperian" principle, while Professors, their houses & other, fire crackers thrown ranges perpetrated of an actor, especially to females. graceful scenes were followed until it became necessary